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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

THE opening of a college year, and the entrance of a new class are events which seldom fail to call forth words of advice and admonition from every college publication in the country. It is not, however, the purpose of this article to give advice, but only to set forth once again the claim the college paper has upon you, who are college students. By reference to the issue of November, 1900, one may easily find the regulations which govern THE UNDERGRADUATE, and some of the benefits set forth which accrue to those who take up this line of college work.

By means of the paper and its exchanges we are brought in contact with the affairs of other colleges; the doings of our college life are made known to them, and we in turn become acquainted with their life and customs. The paper, too, is the one connecting link which binds the Alumni to their Alma Mater, and by the reading of its pages sweet memories are brought to them of the time when they were active in the academic life. All will agree that the college paper is a necessity; then give it your support. The books are ever open for your subscription, and literary contributions are gladly received.

IT was exceedingly gratifying to note the way in which the foot ball team was supported in their game with the University of Vermont at Burlington. Our opponents were not only vanquished in straight foot ball, but they were fairly outdid in the matter of songs and yells. It was plainly shown at that time what could really be done if college spirit was put first and foremost. There is no greater source of inspiration to a team than a band of loyal supporters, who are certain, beyond a doubt, that their team will win; such an inspiration the 'Varsity had on that day and the result was victory.

Let us, however, beware of over confidence, a feeling which is certain to ruin its victim. Vermont has made a fair showing in her recent games, and is putting forth every effort to be ready for the next struggle which will come on Saturday. There is every hope to believe that we shall win,

but whether we win or lose let every man make it his duty to see that the vistors have proper treatment, not only from college students, but from town children as well.

THROUGH the efforts of one of our younger alumni space was secured in the Vermont room of the New England building for a Middlebury College exhibit at the recent Pan-American Exposition. Partial arrangements were made with the proper authorities here to prepare and forward to Buffalo photographs and other materials for such a display. Because of someone's neglect the exhibit was never sent, and the result was disappointment to numerous alumni who had learned of the plans and eagerly sought for the reminders of their Alma Mater while visiting the Pan-American. It is to be regretted that the College was not represented there when so good an opportunity was offered. The furnishings of the Vermont room in the New England building were extremely simple and the exhibits few, and no other educational institution was in evidence there: had Middlebury filled one corner with views of the campus and buildings, with the unique Latin Play pictures which Professor Sanford had offered to loan for the purpose, and with the many other things which might have been sent, her existence would now be known to thousands who have never heard her name, and her alumni and friends would feel a pardonable pride in realizing that her position and achievements were more widely recognized than ever before. Harvard, Yale, Cornell, and many other great institutions, were represented by exhibits: yet it is safe to say that had Middlebury taken advantage of the excellent space secured for her, her exhibit would have attracted nearly, if not quite, as much attention as did theirs, which were in larger buildings and surrounded by too many other objects of interest to receive undivided attention. The direct result of this display might not have been to attract students to Middlebury, it might not have advanced the interests of a single alumnus or friend of the old College; but it would have secured recognition of her real worth, the alumni and students would have felt that their Alma Mater was equally progressive with other and more famous institutions and the indirect benefits to Middlebury would have been great. The expense was little — less than twenty dollars all told — the space was secured, offered, and accepted, and then not taken advantage of; it was an opportunity lost.

LITERARY.

THE GRADUATE AND WHAT HE FINDS.

[It would be interesting now and then to know how the world, as the young alumnus finds it, squares with the preconceptions of his college days. It might be practical, moreover, to learn from his experience what features of his college life are proving helpful in the new field and what are proving the reverse. It was in the hope of getting some such data that I suggested to a recent graduate the writing of the appended article. C. B. W.]

Does college training help or hinder the young graduate in contact with the world?

As anyone acquainted with college life quickly discovers, the college world is a world of intense intellectuality, a world of ideals, a world of close contact and competition with worthy peers, yet, at the same time, a world of warmest friendship, and above all a world devoted to search for and admiration of the genuine, the true. These are the elements of academic life for which so much effort and sacrifice are justly given. But these tendencies have pitfalls for the graduate for which he must be on the watch, if he would succeed in the world of affairs.

Severe use of the mental faculties in college gives, indeed, acuteness of perception, patience, self-confidence, perseverance. After victories untold over pages of mathematics and Greek grammar, one believes thoroughly, "Nil desperandum, labor omnia vincit." We can count well spent all the money and time which college costs, for the gift of this one bulwark of character—perseverance. But, on the other hand, after four years of intellectual life amid beautiful and refined surroundings, it does cost a struggle to come down to business life, school-room discipline, or even the home. It is the sensation one has when the curtain drops after some stirring opera, and he wakes from his dream with a start and joins the crowd struggling for a car—only in the case of the college graduate the feeling is apt to be of at least a year's duration. Then, too, one is so tempted to allow too much of college to get into his work and conversation. One can not keep books or sell hardware by trigonometric formulas, nor teach high school science in all its details as it was taught to us in college, nor entertain one's tired landlady with accounts of college

frolics. The transition from college to the world must be a "right about face; forget knowledge merely, keep only wisdom."

On leaving college we struggle desperately at first to bring our work and life up to the ideals given us by our professors. But the old world refuses to be made over by us in one least particular in one winter. We become discouraged and restless, trying, now here, now there, to remedy the situation. Perhaps finally we find peace in the conviction that never, in this world, will anything be perfect. Even the perfect day in June has its dead leaf always fluttering a sad suggestion over the tender lawn. We come to value college as the place where ideals of a lifetime were slowly built up, never indeed to be fully realized, but to be approximated to with ever increasing love.

The close contact and competition of college life, unpleasant at the time, prove later an unalloyed blessing. Though this strife is not vital, like the "survival of the fittest" out in the world, yet the combatants are so much nearer one another that it seems at least equally sharp. Despite this rigorous training, the young graduate is often accused of great innocency and lack of knowledge of the world. Yet is it likely that a green country boy would be as able to meet the world, *in any new situation*, after four years of actual business life, as after four years of college?

The friendships of college are an inspiration for a lifetime. At the moment of temptation or of flagging energy comes the thought, "If Prof. A. could see me now; if my dearest friend could see me now," and a victory is won. Then, too, academic experience gives a social prestige scarcely realized perhaps till we meet the open confession of some mother who is sorry she could not send her six sons to college, and fears they do not seem to us like college men. But the Emerson style of friendship enjoyed in college has its snare. The graduate says sadly, "Never again can I have a friend to whom my soul goes out, as to the friends of college." In his pride of learning he "passes in the night" many of God's noblest souls, with no signal of mutual help and blessing. Let us rid ourselves of the idea which seems to cling firmly about "dear old Midd," that it is an unspeakable misfortune to graduate. Dear as the college ever must be, it is not an Ultima Thule. The world beyond is richer, fuller, more intense in its joy as well as in its sorrow.

The element of college spirit last mentioned, love of genuineness and truth, is a self-evident advantage.

The world may teach us that college is but a very small part of life, and only one of many ways of becoming educated. Yet, though we handle our college training as an awkwardly used tool at first, it certainly will become by practice a tool of greatest efficiency.

E. N., 1900.

THE STREAMLET.

From a little cradle, curtained
  O'er with wild flow'rs blooming fair,
Came a tiny streamlet, gaily
  Laughing to the summer air.

It was blithesome, fresh and sparkling,
  Full of happy, joyous mirth,
And impetuous, longed to wander
  Far and wide, o'er all the earth.

So it ran away, delighted,
  Free to follow its own choice,
And, in notes of limpid sweetness,
  Raised its soothing, silv'ry voice,

Till the trees that high above it
  Waved their branches toward the sky,
Bent their stately heads, enchanted
  By its soft, sweet lullaby.

With the ferns and flowers growing
  On its banks, it flirted gay;
Then, forgetful, broke their poor hearts;
  Left them lone to fade away.

On it danced, all things defying
  That essayed to stay its course;
Ever growing wider, deeper,
  Ever gaining more in force.

Now the streamlet, once so tiny,
  Nears the river's boist'rous wave,
Who with wooing lures it onward
  To the ocean, where's its grave.

A. E. H., '03.

The goal in all education is always receding before the advancing contestant, as the top of a mountain seems to retreat before the climber, remoter and higher summits appearing successively as each apparent summit is reached. Nevertheless, the goal of the moment in education is always the acquisition of knowledge, the training of some permanent capacity for productiveness or enjoyment, and the development of character.—*President Charles W. Eliot.*

AMONG THE ALUMNI.

[Contributions in the way of literary articles, reminiscences and news of former graduates are especially solicited from alumni.

In the case of a change of address, alumni are requested to notify the Business Manager. Much trouble has been caused in the past by failure to do this.]

'53. Rev. E. P. Stone is the author of a paper on the subject, "Be Sober" which was read at a meeting of the Pastoral Union in Lapeer, Mich., and is now printed in the Treasury of Religious Thought, a magazine published in New York and London.

'57. Hon. Lauren Redfield visited the campus October 18 and 19.

'63. The September number of Science contains a fine full page portrait of Judge R. S. Tuthill, who is a widely known Chicago man.

'74. Rev. C. C. Gove, who is rector of St. Michael's church and principal of Cary Collegiate Seminary at Oakfield, N. Y., delivered September 19 in his church a very able address in memory of our late president. The following is a short extract: "Out of the clear sky of national prosperity and universal good will has fallen the shaft which has deprived this people of a sovereign ruler, who, by his wise and benign reign, had won priceless victories, the conquests of war and of peace. The foul blow of the assassin was not delivered because of personal hatred; for the president had harmed no man. He stood as the exponent of righteous government, to execute the people's will, as the embodiment of a sacred principle that government of the people and by the people might secure the blessings of freedom and peace. * * * The nations mourn. It is not here alone that sorrow saddens and sympathy seeks an expression of grief. Wherever live civilized men under the form of law; wherever in all the world a sense of justice and a yearning for righteousness prevail, there the people mourn and unite their tears with ours, as they behold this sad spectacle of a martyred hero borne to his sepulchre. The electric nerves throb with sympathetic currents, as they bear over the lands and under the seas, to this afflicted people, tender words of sorrow and comfort, which the nations breathe to our stricken hearts."

'84. The September number of Science contains a highly commendatory view of the text book on electricity recently published by Professor Samuel Sheldon of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

'87. Dr. C. Ford Langworthy of the office of Experiment Station, U. S. Department of Agriculture, contributed a paper to the Department "Year Book" for 1900.

'91. F. D. Boynton, who is superintendent of the Ithaca (N. Y.) public schools, delivered a very able address to his teachers at the beginning of the school year. Mr. Boynton, who is under the wings of Cornell University, has greatly increased the facilities in his schools for the many students who contemplate entering the University.

'96. Dr. C. W. Prentiss, who has received the Parker traveling fellowship from Harvard University, sailed from New York city July 6. After a tour through Scotland, England, Holland and Belgium he located at St. Andreasberg in the Hartz mountains, Germany, to study colloquial German. Early in October, having visited Berlin and Dresden, he went to Freiburg, in Baden, to continue his research work in zoology at the university there. His thesis on "The otocyst of decapod crustacea: its structure, development and functions," illustrated with ten plates, appeared in the *Bulletin of the Museum of Comparative Zoology* for July. It is favorably reviewed in the October number of the *American Naturalist.* He also had an illustrated paper on "A Case of Incomplete Duplication of Parts and Apparent Regulation in Nereis Virens Sars" in the July number of the *American Naturalist*, which is favorably noticed in *Science.*

'98. On Wednesday evening, Oct. 9, Theodore Donald Wells led to the altar of the Congregational church Miss Anna Miner Fletcher, only daughter of Col. and Mrs. Albert A. Fletcher of Middlebury. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and flowers and wreaths of ground pine. Immediately following the ceremony a small reception was given at the house of Colonel Fletcher to a few relatives and intimate friends. After the reception the bride and groom left on a short wedding trip. They will spend the winter in Europe, where Mr. Wells will finish his course in naval construction.

'98. Rev. A. J. Bliss and Miss M. A. Goodwin, '97, were united in marriage September 16 at the home of the bride in Thetford, Vt. Their future home will be in Junction, N. J., where Mr. Bliss is pastor of the Methodist church.

'98. M. F. Halpin, who has been in the Philippines a year, met the Middlebury graduates, Stafford,

Bailey and Miss Parker, as they landed at Manila in August. A Vermonters' association has been formed in the islands.

'98. James A. Lobban has resigned his position in Wilmington, Vt., to become principal of the high school at Southboro, Mass.

'00. Rev. T. A. Carlson presented a paper on "A Better Knowledge of the Bible in the Church" at a Sunday school convention recently held in Middlebury.

'00. A. B. Willmarth, who is teaching in Burr and Burton Seminary at Manchester, called on college friends Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 26 and 27.

'00. Miss Eveline L. Dean is teaching Latin, German and chemistry in the Arms Academy at Shelburne Falls, Mass.

'00. Miss Florence M. Hemenway is the Latin and Greek teacher at Burr and Burton Seminary, Manchester.

'00. Arthur E. Batchelder has removed to Granite Falls, Minn., where he expects to make his future home.

'00. Miss Emily G. Parker has a position as teacher in the Philippines.

'00. Miss Constance Barker has been calling on college friends.

CLASS OF 1901.

Rarely has a class been so widely scattered, within four months from their graduation, as is the class which left us last June. Their present location is as follows:

White has a position in New York city.

Miss Graves is at her home in Vergennes.

Barnard has a position in Granville, N. Y.

Miss Weld is teaching in Morristown, N. J.

Stearns is attending Harvard Medical School.

Miss Jarvis will remain at home in Worcester, Mass.

Miss Johnson is at her home in West Brattleboro, Vt.

Miss Smith will remain at home in Worcester, Mass.

Clark is on a government surveying expedition in Utah.

Miss James will spend the winter in Washington State.

Janes is in a railroad office at St. Paul, Minn.

Miss Cornish is teaching in the Castleton Normal School.

Miss Child is preceptress of the Fair Haven (Vt.) High School.

Miss Landon is preceptress of Beeman Academy at New Haven, Vt.

Miss Walker is assistant in the high school at Henniker, N. H.

Tong has a position with Norcross Brothers in Worcester, Mass.

Lawrence has entered the law office of C. K. Gilbert in Malone, N. Y.

Bailey is stationed as teacher on the Island of Negros in the Philippines.

Miss Avery is preceptress of the Union High School at Cincinnatus, N. Y.

Stafford has been located as teacher on the Island of Negros in the Philippines.

Miss Brooks is teaching French and Sciences in the high school at Groton, Mass.

Miss Thomas acts as assistant preceptress in the Northfield (Vt.) High School.

Brown is at the head of the English department of Seattle High School, Seattle, Wash.

Miss Hadley is an assistant in the Massachusetts Normal School at Framingham, Mass.

Parker is acting as private secretary to Senator Proctor and will pursue a course of law studies in Washington.

Carr is attending the New York Law school, where he receives one of the three scholarships offered by that institution.

Miss Button is teaching English and Elocution at West Pennsylvania Scientific and Classical Institute, Mt. Pleasant, Penn.

Nelson has entered upon a three years' course of post-graduate work in physics and higher mathematics at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM SLADE, '36.

Hon. William Slade died at Painesville, O., Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1901, after an illness lasting only a few days.

Mr. Slade was born in Middlebury in 1816. He was the son of Gov. William Slade, whose name

stands high among the prominent men of this state. He entered Middlebury and graduated in the class of 1836. Mr. Slade studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1838. President Lincoln appointed him United States consul at Nice, France, and during President Cleveland's first administration he was appointed consul to Belgium. He was actively engaged in Ohio state politics and filled many prominent offices. Mr. Slade married a Middlebury girl and three children were born to them. The children all died of typhoid fever and Mrs. Slade passed away about ten years ago.

LOYAL D. ELDREDGE, '57.

Hon. Loyal Dorus Eldredge, for many years one of Middlebury's most honored citizens and a prominent member of the Addison county bar, died at his home, Saturday, Sept. 14, 1901.

Mr. Eldredge was born in West Stockholm, N. Y., February 2. 1831. He was the only child of Deacon Julius I. and Polly (Coles) Eldredge. His boyhood was passed at the family home in New Haven, to which his parents returned soon after his birth. He prepared for college in the academies at Castleton and Johnson, Vt., and entered Middlebury in 1853. He graduated in the class of 1857 with high honors. For the next two years after graduation Mr. Eldredge taught school and studied law with William Nutting of Randolph and R. C. Benton of Johnson. After admission to the bar in November, 1859, he at once began practice in Alburgh in partnership with the Hon. J. P. Ladd. He was state's attorney for Grand Isle county in 1861–2. He removed to Middlebury, where the remainder of his life has been spent. Mr. Eldredge was honored by many local and state offices. He was state senator in 1876–8, during which time he held the chairmanship of the committee on federal relations. In 1888 he was elected to the legislature, where he was chairman of the important committee on corporations. He was elected to all the most important local offices within the gift of the people; and served continuously as justice of the peace from 1854.

Mr. Eldredge was at all times a zealous supporter of Middlebury. He was a staunch friend to the institution in the dark days at the beginning of President Hamlin's able administration, and was instrumental in securing the addition that was then made to its endowment. He was elected a trustee of the College in 1881, and served as treasurer of its funds from 1884 till his resignation in 1900. His administration of its finances was eminently prudent and successful. He was also a member of the finance and prudential committees. He retained an abiding interest in the prosperity of his Alma Mater to the last, and his loss will be keenly felt by the institution. During his college course Mr. Eldredge became one of the charter members of the local chapter of Delta Upsilon.

WALTER B. WINES, '70, non-grad.

Walter Brune Wines, son of E. C. Wines and Emma Stansburg, was born in Boston, October 10, 1848. He died in Minneapolis July 31, 1901.

Mr. Wines was educated at East Hampton, Mass., at Middlebury, and at the Columbia Law school. He entered upon the practice of his profession in New York, and had bright prospects of success at the bar, but was handicapped by defective vision, and ultimately abandoned the law for journalism and literature. As a litterateur he had a diversity of talent, uniting with his commercial work for trade and other publications dealing with matters of serious moment, the art of producing short stories, sketches, poems and the like.

Prior to graduation Mr. Wines married Anna E. Thornton of Middlebury, who together with three children survive him. He removed with his family from New York to Springfield, Ill., where he was employed as a special agent of the census office, and in connection with his brother, now assistant director of the census, he prepared two valuable special reports on courts in the United States having criminal jurisdiction, and on the nomenclature of crime. From Springfield Mr. Wines went to Chicago and resided in that city until a short time before his death, from consumption. While in College Mr. Wines joined the Chi Psi fraternity.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The Bible class has been reorganized with Miss Hausman, '03, as leader. The course to be taken is Sharman's "Studies in the Life of Christ."

The annual joint reception of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. was held in the Phrontisterion on Friday evening, Sept. 27. A quartette of young ladies furnished music and a large number of students were present.

On the afternoon of September 20 a tea was given in the Phrontisterion by the Young Women's Christian Association to the women of the Freshman class. Miss Salisbury, '03, and Miss Smith, '03, presided at the tea and cocoa tables.

At the first devotional service of the term, Sunday, Sept. 22, Rev. Thomas Simms spoke to the young women of the College from the words in John x., 10, "I am come that they might have life and that they might have it more abundantly."

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

D. B. Eddy, Yale, '98, a Student Volunteer secretary, spoke in the Y. M. C. A. room September 10.

During the summer the Y. M. C. A. compiled and published for the first time a small handbook similar to those published by organizations in other colleges. The book contains much useful information, especially for Freshmen, and is designed to give new students an idea of the College, its requirements and organizations. There are necessarily many defects in the first edition, but all, it is believed, can be remedied in future issues.

Professor Sanford has given one talk to the fellows and will speak to them again before the term closes.

Mr. Ufford, the Y. M. C. A. secretary at the University of Vermont, has kindly consented to speak on missions in the Y. M. C. A. room Tuesday evening, Nov. 26. All of the fellows should make it a point to hear him.

Two classes in Bible study have been formed. One under A. W. Eddy in "Studies of the Life of Christ," the other under L. E. Sunderland in "Studies of the Acts."

AMONG THE FRATERNITIES

INITIATIONS.

The annual initiation of Alpha Mu of Chi Psi was held on the evening of October 16. The new initiates, all of the class of 1905, are the following: Samuel C. Abbot, Harry S. Fisher, Percy L. Roberts, Clark J. Wilson.

The Pi Beta Phi society has not as yet held its annual initiation. The young ladies of the class of 1905 who have been pledged are as follows: Bessie Mabel Bump, Bertha Chandler Duncan, Elizabeth Ham Deuel, Florence Elizabeth Giddings, Lillie May Neff.

Alpha Alpha of Delta Kappa Epsilon held their annual initiation on Wednesday evening, Oct. 30. The following are the initiates: Edmund T. Duffield, '04, Allen D. Ball, '05, Sanford H. Lane, '05. After the initiation a banquet was held at the Addison House.

Friday evening, Nov. 1, the Alpha Chi Sorority initiated the following women of the Freshman class: Helen H. Fielden, Bessie B. Freeto, Lena M. Goodwin, Jeffries W. Leete, Bessie A. Merrell, Alice J. Potter, Alice D. Richmond, Lora P. Stickney, Eliza Vickery. Several of the recent Alumnæ were present at the initiation.

The annual initiation of Delta Upsilon occurred Friday evening, Nov. 8. After the initiation the company went to the Addison House, where a banquet was served. The initiates were Charles Barnum, Harry H. Holt, Joyce W. Kingsley, Edward Peet, Adolphus C. Pilger, Richard S. Read, Charles D. Weld, all of the Freshman class.

FOOT BALL.

It has been a number of years since the THE UNDERGRADUATE has been privileged to record the victories of so triumphant a team as Middlebury has upon the gridiron this fall. Old men, who for the most part are playing the several positions, together with the exceptionally good support given the team by the fellows, in appearing on the field whenever needed for practice against the 'Varsity, have given us an eleven that surpasses any defenders the blue and white has had for at least seven years. A. H. Whittemore, Brown's guard of last year, has done good work as coach, especially by strengthening the interference and putting the line men on to all the ways and tricks of the game. Manager Stone has secured some good games, as will be seen by the following schedule, and the success of this year's team should make it easier for succeeding managers to obtain larger guarantees:

SCHEDULE.

Sept.	28.	Rutland Athletic Association at Middlebury.
Oct.	5.	Norwich University at Northfield.
Oct.	12.	U. V. M. at Burlington.
Oct.	21.	St. Lawrence University at Middlebury.
Nov.	1.	Potsdam Normals at Potsdam, N. Y.
Nov.	2.	St. Lawrence University at Canton, N. Y.
Nov.	4.	Clarkson Inst. Tech. at Potsdam, N. Y.
Nov.	9.	Open.
Nov.	16.	U. V. M. at Middlebury.
Nov.	23.	Hamilton (?) at Albany.
Nov.	28.	Rutland Athletic Association at Rutland.

MIDDLEBURY, 10; RUTLAND ATHLETIC ASSOC., 6.

The season was opened Saturday, Sept. 29, by a game with the Rutland Athletic Association played on the campus. Middlebury won by a score of 10 to 6. Neither team had been practicing long and as a result the game was loosely played, both elevens depending upon individual effort rather than team play. Middlebury's line seemed invulnerable and Rutland only succeeded in scoring by stealing the ball during a scrimmage. Drake and Wilds made some brilliant plays for Middlebury, while Ryan and Jones did the

best work for the visitors. The following is the line-up :

MIDDLEBURY.	RUTLAND.
Wilds, f. b.	Fish, f. b.
Winch, r. h.	Ryan, r. h.
Drake, Collins, l. h.	Jones, l. h.
Duffield, q. b.	Hazelton, q. b.
Allen, c.	Earle, c.
Wilson, r. g.	Gokey, r. g.
Lynde, l. g.	Bilado, l. g.
Skeels, r. t.	Harrison, r. t.
Barrett, l. t.	Payne, l. t.
Youtt, r. e.	Noyes, r. e.
Stubbs, l. e.	Carruthers, l e.

Referee—McCuen. Umpire—Allen. Timekeepers—Kingsley and Carr. 15 and 10-minute halves.

MIDDLEBURY, 35 ; NORWICH UNIVERSITY, 0.

Saturday, Oct. 5, the Middlebury team went to Northfield, Vt., and played Norwich University, winning by a score of 35 to 0, in two 15-minute halves. Middlebury outclassed her opponents in every play, and allowed them to have the ball only once during the game. Lack of proper training prevented the 'Varsity from running up a bigger score.

MIDDLEBURY, 12 ; UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT, 0.

Middlebury met her old rival, the University of Vermont, Saturday, Oct. 12, in a one-sided but exciting game of ball, the score standing at the end of two 20-minute halves 12-0 in favor of Middlebury. The game was played at Burlington and a large number of rooters accompanied and gave the team loyal support. Once only during the entire game was the Middlebury goal at all in danger, when the 'Varsity put forth an extra effort, secured the ball on downs, and quickly rushed it to the center of the field. While, on the other hand, considering the long runs being constantly made by Drake and Wilcox, it might be said that the University's goal was seldom if ever safe. Middlebury outplayed her opponents in every way, holding them for downs at three different times during the game. Drake, Wilds, Wilcox and Wilson excelled for Middlebury, while Strait, Dane and Patterson did good work for Vermont.

Vermont defended the east goal. Wilds kicked off to Strait on Burlington's 15 yard line. The ball was carried back a short distance, but was fumbled and secured by Wilcox. In two minutes Drake went around right end for a touchdown and Wilds kicked a goal. Orton kicked to Drake on the 10-yard line, who was immediately downed by Newton. By two or three long runs the ball was carried forward 50 yards, when it was lost to Vermont on an off-side play. Capt. Strait hurdled the line for 15 yards, being well tackled by Duffield. Another fumble by Vermont gave Middlebury the ball, and after an exchange of punts time was called with the ball at the center of the field in Middlebury's possession.

In the second half Gerrish was substituted for Dane and Putnam for Fogg. Orton kicked to Duffield on the 20 yard line, who advanced the ball 20 yards. By a series of line plays the ball was now carried forward till Drake was pushed over for a second touchdown, from which a goal was kicked. Orton kicked off to Drake and the ball was advanced till a place kick for goal was tried. The kick failed and Vermont secured the ball on her 3 yard line. Vermont now took a brace and with fresh men rushed the ball to the center of the field, where it was lost on a fumble. Time was called with the ball in possession of Middlebury.

The line up :

MIDDLEBURY.	VERMONT.
Allen, c.	Beckley, c.
Lynde, l. g.	Orton, l. g.
Thompson, r. g.	Parker, Presbrey, r. g.
Barrett, Pilger, l. t.	Putnam, Bean, l. t.
Wilson, r. t.	Pierce, Bates, r. t.
Stubbs, l e.	Patterson, l. e.
Skeels, r. e.	Newton, r. e.
Duffield, q. b.	Tayner, q. b.
Wilcox, Youtt, r. h. b.	Dane, Gerrish, r. h. b.
Drake, l. h. b.	Fogg, Putnam, l. h. b.
Wilds, (Capt.) f. b.	Strait, (Capt.) f. b.

Referee, McCuen ; umpire, Barrett ; linesmen, O'Halloran and Hill ; timekeepers, Munson and Hughes ; time of halves, 20 minutes ; score, Middlebury 12, Vermont 0.

MIDDLEBURY, 17 ; ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY, 0.

Monday, Oct. 21, the 'Varsity met the St. Lawrence University eleven on the campus, and won from them by a score of 17 to 0. The visiting team was obliged to leave on the train, and in consequence the time of the second half was very much shortened, the length of the two halves being 20 and 6 minutes. As usual Drake carried off the laurels for Middlebury, while Stevenson, Alexander and Harrington excelled for St. Lawrence.

The game in detail is as follows: St. Lawrence defended the north goal. Wilds kicked off to Stevenson who advanced the ball 5 yards. St. Lawrence tried the line with little success and the ball went to Middlebury on the third down. Drake was sent round right end for 25 yards and Wilcox was soon pushed over the goal line, scoring the first touchdown after three and one-half minutes of play. Wilds failed to kick goal. On the next kick-off Wilcox advanced the ball 20 yards, but dislocated his shoulder and lost the ball to Alexander. St. Lawrence then advanced 5 yards, but again lost on downs and the ball was carried forward 15 yards by Middlebury. A fumble gave the pigskin to the visitors for one rush, after which it was carried forward 55 yards by the 'Varsity and Drake made the second touchdown from which Wilds kicked the goal.

Behind excellent interference Wilds advanced the ball 30 yards on the next kick-off. At this time Wilcox was forced to leave the game and Youtt was substituted in his place. The ball exchanged hands four times during the remainder of the half. St. Lawrence was forced to punt twice and the half ended with the 'Varsity in possession of the pigskin on their opponents' 20 yard line.

After five minutes rest St. Lawrence kicked off to Drake and by a series of rushes through the line and round the end the ball was quickly carried to the opponents' goal line, when by a fine hurdle over right tackle Drake scored the third touchdown and Wilds kicked a goal, making the score 17–0. In a few moments the game was finished and another victory placed to the credit of the blue and white.

The line-up:

MIDDLEBURY.	ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY.
Wilds (Capt.), f. b.	Roblin (Capt.)
Drake, l. h.	Stevenson, l. h.
Wilcox, Youtt, r. h.	Emerson, r. h.
Duffield, q. b.	Alexander, q. b.
Allen, c.	Baltz, c.
Barrett, r. g.	Walker, r. g.
Lynde, l. g.	Corwin, l. g.
Pilger, l. t.	Barber, l. t.
Wilson, r. t.	Harrington, r. t.
Skeels, r. e.	Hayden, r. e.
Stubbs, l. e.	Wagner, l. e.

Referee—Kimbal. Umpire—Whittemore. Time-keepers—Hughes, '02, Holley. Linesmen—Sawyer, Weed, '03

MIDDLEBURY, 0; ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY, 0.

The team left for its trip in northern New York on the sleeper Saturday morning, Nov. 2. Saturday afternoon a game was played with St. Lawrence University at Canton, neither team scoring in two 20 minute halves.

MIDDLEBURY, 35; CLARKSON INST. TECH., 0.

Monday, Nov. 4, the team played Clarkson Institute of Technology at Potsdam and won from them by a score of 35 to 0.

The result of these games is learned just as we go to press; a detailed account will be given in our next issue.

LOCALS.

Samuel Abbott, '05, entertained his father over Sunday, Nov. 3.

Professor Henckels has been spending a few days out of town.

J. T. Weed, '03, spent the week beginning October 31 in Boston.

J. M. Wright, '03, has accepted a position as clerk in the postoffice.

Miss Mathison is studying in a school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo.

A. C. Sheldon, '02, spent the week of October 9 at the Pan-American.

B. D. Dimmock, of the class of 1903, has a position in a store at Brandon, Vt.

J. E. Thompson, '02, who has been ill for two weeks, is slowly recovering.

G. W. Roberts, '02, is suffering an attack of typhoid fever at Dr. Eddy's.

A mandolin club has been organized under the leadership of L. F. Hovey, '04.

L. C. Squire, '04, entertained his father, mother and two sisters October 19 and 20.

Miss Burditt, formerly of the class of 1903, has entered the Junior class in Wellesley.

Miss Katherine Collins, ex-'03, of Ferrisburg, visited friends at college during the last week.

J. I. Newton, '03, visited E. J. Eaton, '04, at Amherst College on October 19 and 20.

President Brainerd occupied the pulpit in the Orwell Congregational church Sunday, Oct. 6.

Frank W. Weeden, '05, has been called to Rockingham on account of the serious illness of his father.

Many of the alumni have been about college recently, attending the initiations of the several societies.

Miss Milliken, '04, who was called home on account of the illness of her mother, has entered Tufts College.

David Burke, ex-'02, who has entered the Senior class of Fordham College, New York City, was about town recently.

C. D. Simonds, ex-'04, who has entered Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been chosen a member of the Glee club.

Miss Williams, who has for some time been unable to attend college because of ill health, has returned and entered the class of 1903.

The women of the Pi Beta Phi fraternity gave a reception in the Pharetra Thursday evening, Oct. 17, to some of the men of the Freshman class.

The Junior class has elected the following officers: President, H. Harvey; vice-president, Elizabeth Salisbury; secretary and treasurer, Lottie M. Hull.

The Sophomore class has elected the following officers: President, L. C. Squires; vice-president, P. E. Mellen; secretary and treasurer, Alice Brainerd.

President and Mrs. Ezra Brainerd gave a delightful informal reception to the students and the faculty Friday evening, Oct. 4, at their home on Seminary street.

President Brainerd and Professor Howard went to Trinity College Thursday, Nov. 7, to represent Middlebury in the annual meeting of the New England colleges.

The Sophomore girls at Battell hall gave an informal reception to the Sophomore men on the evening of October 11 in honor of L. F. Hovey, who left for his home on that evening.

A new order of things is maintained in the chapel this term; it is a custom of large colleges to assign seats. Middlebury has taken this step. The system is also adhered to in most of the class rooms.

President Brainerd attended the Bi-Centennial celebration at New Haven, Conn., the week of October 20, and upon his return gave the students a very entertaining account of the celebration of the anniversary.

The Middlebury Reserves is a second football team organized for the purpose of playing against the 'Varsity team to give them practice. O. K. Collins is captain and F. A. Hughes coach and manager.

Stone, '02, Simmons, '02, and Newton, '03, spent the last week of October in New York. Stone also spent some time in Atlantic City, N. J., where his brother, G. W. Stone, '99, has a position as teacher in the high school.

The second eleven arranged a game of foot ball with the Vergennes team to be played at Vergennes Monday afternoon, Nov. 11, but owing to the absence from town of many of the fellows the game had to be cancelled.

The Freshmen held their class meeting on the morning of October 1 without any disturbance from the Sophomores. President, Edward Peet; vice-president, A. C. Pilger; secretary, S. H. Lane; treasurer, Elizabeth Deuel; toastmaster, C. J. Wilson.

The committee consisting of Roberts, '02, Brigham, '03, and Eddy, '04, appointed by the Athletic Association to arrange for an entertainment, secured the services of J. B. Weeks, a well-known reader, of St. Albans. The entertainment was given in the town hall October 29, and was highly appreciated by a large audience.

The return game with the University of Vermont will be played on the campus Saturday, Nov. 16. Vermont has been improving rapidly, and the contest ought not to be as one-sided as the first game proved to be. Surely every student in College should be on the field, and by his cheering have some part in winning the game.

The formal dedication of the Warner Science Hall will take place at 2:30 Friday afternoon, Nov. 15. The address will be delivered by Professor McGilton. Several hundred invitations have been sent out to Alumni and friends of the College, and it is expected a large number will be present. In the evening the building will be illuminated and opened for a reception to the public.

At 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, Nov. 6, a large number of people witnessed the first act of a new epoch for the village of Middlebury. At that time the water, which is brought from the mountains by seven and one-half miles of piping, was turned into the new reservoir on Chipman Hill. In a week or ten days it will be turned in the village mains and we shall then have an abundant supply of good, fresh water.

CLASS OF 1905.

Samuel Lee Abbott,	Bethel.
Allen Dowal Ball,	Ludlow.
Charles Gardner Barnum,	Cornwall.
Chester Blinn Clapp,	Marblehead, Mass.
Harry Sylvester Fisher,	Middlebury.
Harry Hazelton Holt,	West Rutland.
Joyce Walter Kingsley,	New Haven.
Sanford Henry Lane,	Middlebury.
Edward Hamilton Peet,	Cornwall.
Adolphus Christian Pilger,	Vergennes.
Richard Smith Read,	Newburgh, N. Y.
Percy Llewellyn Roberts,	Flushing, N. Y.
Walter Daniel Shea,	Middlebury.
James Forrest Taylor,	Ticonderoga, N. Y.
Frank Willard Weeden,	Rockingham.
Charles Beane Weld,	New Haven
Clark Jay Wilson,	Louisville, N. Y.
Isabella Theobald Mather Blake,	Westfield, Mass.
Bessie Mabel Bump,	West Salisbury.
Elizabeth Ham Deuel,	Millbrook, N. Y.
Bertha Chandler Duncan,	Hancock, N. H.
Helen Haslam Fielden,	Amesbury, Mass.
Bessie Bacheller Freeto,	Marblehead, Mass.
Florence Elizabeth Giddings,	Bakersfield.
Lena May Goodwin,	Marblehead, Mass.
Alice Hannah Johnson,	Worcester, Mass.
Jeffries Wilhelmina Leete,	Claremont, N. H.
Mary Genevieve McMahon,	Middlebury.
Bessie Adair Merrell,	Wallingford.
Emma Blanche Moore,	Middlebury.
Lillie Mary Neff,	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Alice Jeannette Potter,	Marblehead, Mass.
Alice Dutton Richmond,	Northfield.
Lora Prudence Stickney,	Middlebury.
Eliza Vickery,	Marblehead, Mass.
Frances Helen Collins Warner,	Middlebury.

DELTA UPSILON CONVENTION.

The sixty-seventh annual convention of the Delta Upsilon fraternity was held with the Brown chapter at Providence, R. I., October 24–26. Two hundred delegates were present, all but the two California chapters being represented. The convention headquarters were at The Crown. Dr. Faunce, president of Brown, presided at all the business sessions.

The delegates from Middlebury chapter were W. J. Stone, '02, O. K. Collins, '02, F. A. Simmons, '02, J. I. Newton, '03, G. R. Wilson, '04.

LIBRARY NOTES.

In the list of recent accessions given this month we again record for a large number of scientific works purchased for account of the M. Allen Starr fund. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Converse of Boston, through Rev. Dr. W. C. Winslow, add eighteen volumes to their former gift of publications of the Egypt Exploration Fund. Fifty volumes of fiction, including the Harper set of the Waverley novels, are the gift of Joseph Wickham Burnham, class of 1864.. Other donors are Hon. Levi P. Morton, the Smithsonian Institution, Rev. Nathan Round Nichols, class of 1866, Mrs. W. H. Haile of Boston, Samuel C. Parks of Kansas City, Mo., Miss Effie Daunis of Middlebury, the Anti-Saloon League of Vermont. Another important purchase is the new Johnson's Universal Cyclopædia.

RECENT ACCESSIONS.

Peabody. Jesus Christ and the social question.
Brown. Collected poems.
Blümner. Home life of the ancient Greeks.
Ravensburg. Die Venus von Milo.
Hastings. Public papers of George Clinton, vol. 4.
Shaler. Nature and man in America.
Guyau. Education and heredity.
Moll. Hypnotism.
Thomson. Study of animal life.
Gorham and Tower. Laboratory dissection of the cat.
Brooks. Handbook of invertebrate zoology.
Schäfer. Essentials of histology.
Lee. Microtomist's vade-mecum.
Williams. Geological biology.
Davenport. Statistical methods . . . biological variation.
——— Experimental morphology, vol. 2.
Zittel. Text-book of palæontology, vol. 1.
Osborn. From the Greeks to Darwin.
Campbell. Lectures on the evolution of plants.
——— Structure of mosses and ferns.
Wilson. Cell, in development and inheritance.
Gage. The microscope.
MacDougal. Nature and work of plants.
Ganong. Teaching botanist.
Detmer. Practical plant physiology.
Green. Soluble ferments and fermentation.
Atkinson. Study of the biology of ferns.
Macbride. North American slime-moulds.
Bailey. Survival of the unlike.

——— Plant breeding.
——— Garden-making.
Parker and Haswell. Text-book of zoology, 2 vols.
——— Manual of zoology.
Verworn. General physiology.
Morgan. Development of the frog's egg.
Korschelt and Heider. Text-book of embryology, part 1.
Packard. Text-book of entomology.
Weed. Life histories of American insects.
Wright and Coues. Citizen bird.
Ingersoll. Wild neighbors.
Migula. System der bakterien, vol. 2.
Besant and Rice. All sorts and conditions of men.
Swan. Monetary problems and reforms.
Philo Judaeus. Opera Omnia, 4 vol.
Schwartz. Scholia in Euripidem.
Suidas. Lexicon.
Boeckh. Public economy of Athens.
Marquardt. Das privatleben der Romer.
Proceedings of the first three Republican conventions.
Publications of the Egypt exploration fund, 18 vol.
Wines. Adams and Christ.
Sawyer, trans. New Testament.
Parks. Great trial of the nineteenth century.
Smith. Philosophy of memory.
Foster. Century of American diplomacy.
Larned. History for ready reference, vol. 6.
Scott. Waverley novels, 48 vols.
Lever. Charles O'Malley.
Austin. Lamia's winter quarters.
Peacock Maid Marian and Crotchet Castle.
Japp, ed. De Quincey memorials, 2 vols.
Adams, ed. Universal cyclopædia, 12 vol.
Arthur. Ten nights in a bar-room.
Gordon. Black Rock.
Jerome. Three men on wheels.
Mittheilungen. Archæolog. Inst. Athen., vol. 24.

THE GAME OF LIFE.

Man's life is a game of cards. First it is "cribbage." Next he tries to "go it alone" in a sort of "cut, shuffle and deal pace." Then he raises the "deuce" while his mother "takes a hand in" and contrary to Hoyle "beats the little joker with her five." Then with his "diamonds" he wins the "queen of hearts." Tired of playing a "lone hand," he expresses a desire to "assist his fair partner," throws out his cards, and the clergy takes a $10 bill out of him for a "pair." She "orders him up" to build the fire. Like a "knave" he joins the "clubs" where he often gets "high" which is "low" too. If he keeps "straight" he is sometimes "flush." He grows old and "bluff," sees a "deal" of trouble, and when he at last "shuffles" off this mortal coil and "passes in his checks" he is raked in by a "spade." Life's game is ended and he waits the summons of Gabriel's "trump" which shall "call him."—Ex.

AMONG THE COLLEGES.

John H. Hewitt, Yale '59, has assumed the duties of President of Williams.

The illumination and decoration at the recent Yale Bi-Centennial cost $1,500.

Dartmouth celebrated the hundredth anniversary of the graduation of Daniel Webster.

Syracuse University was awarded a bronze medal for its exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition.

M. I. T. has disbanded her foot ball team for this year on account of lack of support by the students.

Secretary Root has recently set aside $100,000 for the new War College and School of National Defense at Washington.

Yale has chosen to defend, in the coming Yale-Princeton debate, the negative side of the question: "Resolved, that the adoption of the fifteenth amendment of the United States has been justified"

In the foot ball contests played this fall, Cornell has scored 112 points in four games; Princeton and Lafayette, 82 points each in two games; Yale has made 58 points, Pennsylvania 57, and Harvard 44 in three games each; Dartmouth has scored 141 points in four games. Princeton and Cornell have made the greatest advance over last year's teams, while Yale's team is about equal to the 1900 eleven.

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A Freshman's blue as indigo;
All the same he's very green,
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In great, great spots of black and yellow.
So, though lacking many a thing,
He still has local coloring."

—Ex.

Yale's Bi-Centennial was celebrated the week of October 20. Nearly every college in the country was represented at the ceremonies, large delegations coming from Harvard, Wesleyan, Princeton and Trinity.

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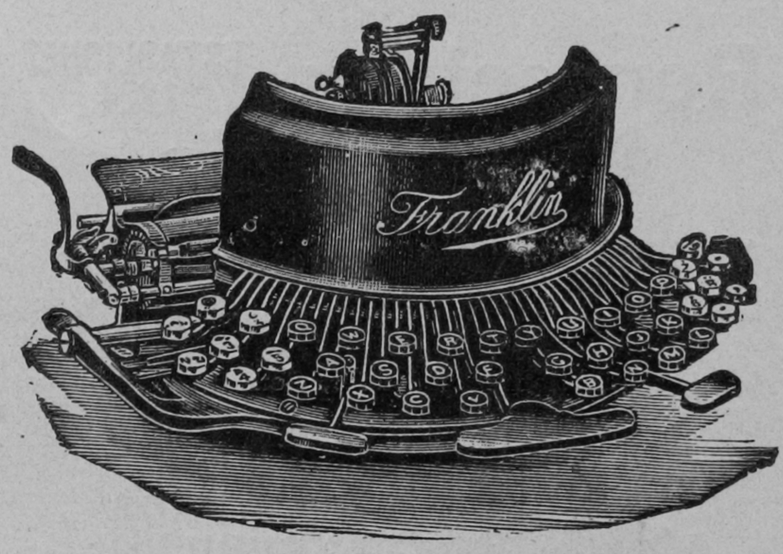

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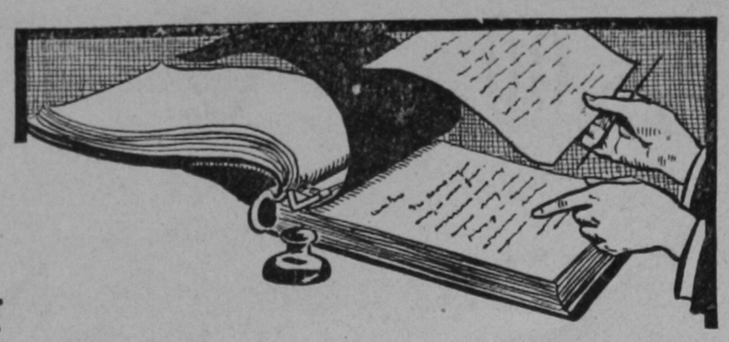

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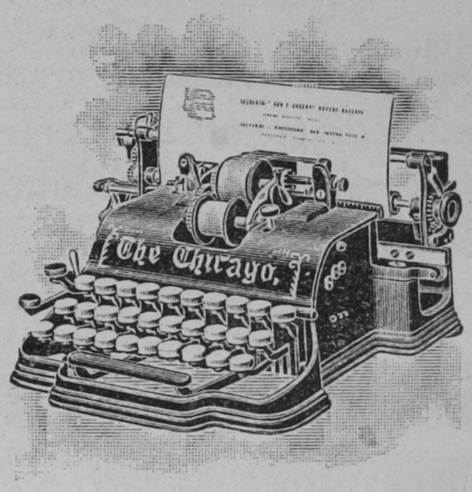

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